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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Toshihiro YAMAMOTO et al. Conf.: 9901

Appl. No.: 09/935,739 Group: 1771

Filed: August 24, 2001 Examiner: J. Pierce

For: A THERMAL INSULATING MATERIAL FORMED OF NON-WOVEN FABRIC AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME (AS AMENDED)

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 29, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2003, the period of response having been extended two (2) months to December 28, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims;

Amendments to the Drawings;

Remarks;

Abstract of the Disclosure; and

Two (2) Sheets of Replacement Drawings;

Substitute Specification (clean version); and

Substitute Specification (marked up version).



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR			PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	8	-	20	=	0	\$ 18	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	-	4	=	0	\$ 86	\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$290	\$ 0.00
						TOTAL	\$ 0.00

- Petition for two (2) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$420.00 for the extension of time.
- No fee is required.
- Check(s) in the amount of \$420.00 is(are) enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachment(s)

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